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**Sent:** 4/9/2020 6:07:45 PM  
**To:** Sierra-Lopez, Omar [Sierra-Lopez.Omar@epa.gov]  
**Subject:** RE: EPA R8: Underground Injection Control Program for Dewey-Burdock Draft Permits - Consultation Invitation and Timeline

Sounds good.

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**From:** Sierra-Lopez, Omar <Sierra-Lopez.Omar@epa.gov>  
**Sent:** Thursday, April 9, 2020 11:41 AM  
**To:** Minter, Douglas <Minter.Douglas@epa.gov>  
**Subject:** Re: EPA R8: Underground Injection Control Program for Dewey-Burdock Draft Permits - Consultation Invitation and Timeline

Douglas: If is OK with you, I will send you an update later today. I am currently finishing the Howie 1 SWD ATI/Minor Mod letter to start routing it today.

Regards,

Omar Sierra-Lopez  
Physical Scientist (Environmental)

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**From:** Minter, Douglas <Minter.Douglas@epa.gov>  
**Sent:** Thursday, April 9, 2020 11:31 AM  
**To:** Sierra-Lopez, Omar <Sierra-Lopez.Omar@epa.gov>  
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Thanks Omar!

How are you doing working through DB ESA comments? Would you like to give me an update to inform when/how we should reach out to Kimi to make sure our respective roles are clear in working with ORC on this?

Hope you and your family are healthy and safe.

Douglas

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**From:** Sierra-Lopez, Omar <[Sierra-Lopez.Omar@epa.gov](mailto:Sierra-Lopez.Omar@epa.gov)>  
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**To:** Sierra-Lopez, Omar <[Sierra-Lopez.Omar@epa.gov](mailto:Sierra-Lopez.Omar@epa.gov)>  
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Good Morning,

The Upper Sioux Community THPO appreciates the continued information and opportunities for consultation. For your records I would like to state that we know many of our relatives to the west have been heavily involved in Dewey Burdock Permitting and consultation. We have deferred to the Lakota tribes of South Dakota regarding this.

Thank you,

### **Samantha Odegard**

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**From:** Sierra-Lopez, Omar <[Sierra-Lopez.Omar@epa.gov](mailto:Sierra-Lopez.Omar@epa.gov)>  
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**Subject:** Fw: EPA R8: Underground Injection Control Program for Dewey-Burdock Draft Permits - Consultation Invitation and Timeline

Greetings Chairman Jensvold: I'm forwarding a digital copy of the letter the EPA Region 8 Water Division is mailing to you regarding the Upper Sioux Community's interest in consulting on EPA Region 8's Dewey Burdock In-Situ Draft Permits re-issued in 2019.

Please let me know if you have any questions, or feel free to reach out to Darcy O'Connor at (303) 312-6392 or [oonconnor.darcy@epa.gov](mailto:oonconnor.darcy@epa.gov), or Kim Varilek at (303) 312-6264 or [varilek.kimberly@epa.gov](mailto:varilek.kimberly@epa.gov).

We look forward to hearing from you as soon as possible and preferably by March 6, 2020.

Regards,

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Given the Tribe's stated interest during a February 22, 2016 webinar with EPA, please let us know if you are still interested in scheduling consultation with EPA Region 8 by contacting our offices as soon as possible. In the letter enclosed, the Region asks for your response by March 6, 2020, in communicating the Tribe's interest to consult with the expectation that we would hold a consultation meeting with you by April 30, 2020 to inform our Final Permit decisions later this year.

Please let me know if you have any questions, or feel free to reach out to Darcy O'Connor at (303) 312-6392 or [occonnor.darcy@epa.gov](mailto:occonnor.darcy@epa.gov), or Kim Varilek at (303) 312-6264 or [varilek.kimberly@epa.gov](mailto:varilek.kimberly@epa.gov).

We look forward to hearing from you as soon as possible and preferably by March 6, 2020.

Sincerely,

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